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For: OPTICAL LENS AND METHOD OF )  
PRODUCING THE SAME, METHOD OF )  
PRODUCING OPTICAL LENS ARRAY, )  
FOCUS ERROR SIGNAL PRODUCTION )  
METHOD, AND AN OPTICAL PICKUP )  
APPARATUS )

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

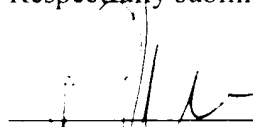
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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time under Rule 136 to respond to the outstanding office action in the above-referenced application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required extension fee of \$930.00 under Rule 17 for other than a small entity to Deposit Account No. 18-0013. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to the same deposit account.

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